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## COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASON FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

The Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance in the Detailed Action accompanying the Notice of Allowance dated January 12, 2005 in the above-identified application does not accurately describe what is claimed. Specifically, attorney for applicant disagrees with the Examiner's characterization of patentability based on "major differences" between the prior art and recited portions of the claims. Patentability is determined not by portions of claims, but rather by claims considered in their entirety.

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